

November 14, 2019

VIA EMAIL ONLY

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Subject: November 4, 2019, Public Records Act Request

Dear Mr. Anderson:

This letter responds to your California Public Records Act received by the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) on November 4, 2019. You requested: "All email communications originating from the California Office of Emergency Services domain ending "@caloes.ca.gov" from January 1, 2017 -November 3, 2019 that contain the phrase "geyser fire" having any capitalization including but not limited to "geyser fire" or "Geyser Fire" or "Geyser Fire" - where the quotation marks enclose the Geyser Fire search term and not part of the Geyser Fire term itself."

Cal OES is unable to comply with your request because it is unduly burdensome, overbroad, and does not reasonably describe identifiable records. (See Bertoli v. City of Sebastapol (2015) 233 Cal.App.4th 353.) Pursuant to Government Code section 6253.1, and in an effort to assist you make a focused and effective request that reasonably describes an identifiable record or records, please contact me at (916) 845-8968 or pra@caloes.ca.gov to schedule a time when we can discuss what information you are seeking, and suggestions for how to sufficiently describe records so that they can be identified, located, and retrieved without undue burden.

Sincerely,

Ryan Gronsky, Senior Counsel

